

GOVERNMENT OF ANDHRA PRADESH
A B S T R A C T

Public Servants – Social Welfare Department – Sri P.C.P.Raju, formerly Executive Director, District Scheduled Castes Service Cooperative Society Limited, Guntur, and presently Joint Director (SW), Guntur District – Initiation of Departmental action under Rule 20 of the A.P.Civil Services (CCA) Rules, 1991 – Articles of charges – Issued.

SOCIAL WELFARE (SER.II.1DEPARTMENT

G.O.RT.NO. 225

DATED:23-03-2011.

ORDER:

It is proposed to hold an inquiry against Sri P.C.P.Raju, formerly Executive Director, District Scheduled Castes Service Cooperative Society Limited, Guntur, and presently Joint Director (SW), Guntur District, in accordance with the procedure laid down in Rule-20 of the Andhra Pradesh Civil Services (CCA) Rules, 1991.

2. The substance of the imputations of misconduct or misbehaviour in respect of which the inquiry is proposed to be held is set out in the enclosed statement of articles of charges (Annexure-I). A statement of imputations of misconduct or misbehaviour in support of each article of charge is enclosed (Annexure-II). A list of documents by which, and a list of witnesses by whom, the articles of charge are proposed to be sustained are also enclosed (Annexure-III and IV).

3. Sri P.C.P.Raju, formerly Executive Director, District Scheduled Castes Service Cooperative Society Limited, Guntur, and presently Joint Director (SW), Guntur District, is directed to submit within 10 days of the receipt of this order, a written statement of his defence.

4. Sri P.C.P.Raju, formerly Executive Director, District Scheduled Castes Service Cooperative Society Limited, Guntur, and presently Joint Director (SW), Guntur District, is informed that an inquiry will be held only in respect of those articles of charge as are not admitted. He should, therefore, specifically admit or deny each article of charge.

5. Sri P.C.P.Raju, formerly Executive Director, District Scheduled Castes Service Cooperative Society Limited, Guntur, and presently Joint Director (SW), Guntur District, is further informed that if he does not submit his written statement of defence on or before the date specified in para 3 above, or otherwise fails or refuses to comply with the provisions of Rule 20 of Andhra Pradesh Civil Services (CCA) Rules, 1991 or the orders/directions issued in pursuance of the said rules, the Inquiring Authority may hold the inquiry against him ex-parte.

6. Attention of Sri P.C.P.Raju, is invited to Rule 24 of the A.P.Civil Services (Conduct) Rules, 1964, under which no Government Servant shall bring or attempt to bring any political or outside influence to bear upon any superior authority to further his interest in respect of matters pertaining to his service under the Government. If any representation is received on his behalf from another person in respect of any matter dealt within these proceedings it will be presumed that Sri P.C.P.Raju is aware of such a representation and that it has been made at his instance and

action will be taken against him for violation of Rule 24 of the A.P.Civil Services (Conduct) Rules, 1964.

(BY ORDER AND IN THE NAME OF THE GOVERNOR OF ANDHRA PRADESH)

**J.RAYMOND PETER
PRINCIPAL SECRETARY TO GOVERNMENT**

To

Sri P.C.P.Raju, formerly Executive Director, District Scheduled Castes Service Cooperative Society Limited, Guntur, and presently Joint Director (SW), Guntur District
(through the Commissioner of Social Welfare, A.P., Hyderabad)

Copy to:

The Commissioner of Social Welfare, A.P., Hyderabad.

He is requested to serve the articles of charges to the Charged Officer and return the served copy to Government for record.

The Vice-Chairman & Managing Director, A.P.Scheduled Castes Cooperative Finance Corporation Limited, Hyderabad,
for information.

The Social Welfare (Ser.I) Department, for information.
SF/SC.

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ANNEXURE - I

**ARTICLES OF CHARGES AGAINST SRI P.C.P.RAJU, FORMERLY
EXECUTIVE DIRECTOR, DISTRICT SCHEDULED CASTE SERVICE
COOPERATIVE SOCIETY LIMITED, GUNTUR, AND PRESENTLY
JOINT DIRECTOR (SW), GUNTUR DISTRICT.**

ARTICLE OF CHARGE - I:

That the said Sri P.C.P.Raju, Joint Director (SW), while functioning as Executive Director, District Scheduled Caste Service Cooperative Society Limited, Guntur, made payments towards drilling charges to the two bore wells, out of 6 sanctioned to the firm M/s Siddivinayaka Bore Wells at Obulesunipalli Village, which were actually certified by the A.P.O. (I) as failed due to natural collapsing of yellow clay in the deeper zones, in violation of condition/clause 6 of District Collectors proceedings Rc.No.168/94/SC/B3, dated 31-03-1995, which states that the payment will be made to the Company only after completion of drilling of all the bores entrusted to the Company. He did not bring the pressure on the drilling firm to complete the drilling work of remaining (4) bore wells within time, and the Executive Director did not obtain the completion certificates from the beneficiaries, for the remaining bore wells. Thus, the Executive Director violated the guidelines and thereby watered down the aspirations of the S.C. beneficiaries. There is no reason for abnormal delay in executing the drilling of remaining four bore well at Obulesunipalli.

ARTICLE OF CHARGE – 2:

Though the bore wells at Obulesunipalli Village were drilled during the year 1995, but arrangements were not made by him for procurement of submersible pump sets to the bore wells for which drilling charges are paid. As such, the drilled bores were kept idle since 1995 without any benefit to S.C. beneficiaries. Government money was invested without its proper utilization which tantamounts to pecuniary loss to the State, for (2) years resulting in failure in getting drilled bores to use, causing problems to the beneficiaries.

The above incidents shows that he is miserably failed to perform his legitimate official duties in bringing the schemes into use intended for the poorest S.C. beneficiaries.

Thus he failed to maintain absolute integrity devotion to duty and exhibited conduct unbecoming of a Government employee in violation of Rule 3 (1)(2)&(5) of A.P.Civil Service (Conduct) Rules, 1964.

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ANNEXURE - II

**STATEMENT OF IMPUTATIONS OF MISCONDUCT IN SUPPORT OF
THE ARTICLES OF CHARGE FRAMED AGAINST SRI P.C.P.RAJU,
FORMERLY EXECUTIVE DIRECTOR, DISTRICT SCHEDULED CASTE
SERVICE COOPERATIVE SOCIETY LIMITED, GUNTUR, AND
PRESENTLY JOINT DIRECTOR (SW), GUNTUR DISTRICT.**

BASIS OF CHARGE-I: As per the Final Report of the Director-General, Anti-Corruption Bureau, Hyderabad, vide Letter No.69/RE-VGT/99, dated 15-11-2000, made payments towards drilling charges to the two bore wells, out of 6 sanctioned to the firm M/s Siddivinayaka Bore Wells at Obulesunipalli Village, which were actually certified by the A.P.O. (I) as failed due to natural collapsing of yellow clay in the deeper zones, in violation of condition/clause 6 of District Collectors proceedings Rc.No.168/94/SC/B3, dated 31-03-1995, which states that the payment will be made to the Company only after completion of drilling of all the bores entrusted to the Company. He did not bring the pressure on the drilling firm to complete the drilling work of remaining (4) bore wells within time, and the Executive Director did not obtain the completion certificates from the beneficiaries, for the remaining bore wells. Thus, the Executive Director violated the guidelines and thereby watered down the aspirations of the S.C. beneficiaries. There is no reason for abnormal delay in executing the drilling of remaining four bore well at Obulesunipalli.

BASIS OF CHARGE – 2:

As per the Final Report of the Director-General, Anti-Corruption Bureau, Hyderabad, vide Letter No.69/RE-VGT/99, dated 15-11-2000, though the bore wells at Obulesunipalli Village were drilled during the year 1995, but arrangements were not made by him for procurement of submersible pump sets to the bore wells for which drilling charges are paid. As such, the drilled bores were kept idle since 1995 without any benefit to S.C. beneficiaries. Government money was invested without its proper utilization which tantamounts to pecuniary loss to the State, for (2) years resulting in failure in getting drilled bores to use, causing problems to the beneficiaries.

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ANNEXURE – III

**LIST OF DOCUMENTS BY WHICH THE ARTICLES OF CHARGES
FRAMED AGAINST SRI P.C.P.RAJU, FORMERLY EXECUTIVE
DIRECTOR, DISTRICT SCHEDULED CASTE SERVICE COOPERATIVE
SOCIETY LIMITED, GUNTUR, AND PRESENTLY JOINT DIRECTOR
(SW), GUNTUR DISTRICT.**

1. File Rc.No.B3/590/95/SC of the O/o E.D. DSCSCS Ltd., Guntur.
2. File Rc.No.B3/168/95/SC of the O/o E.D. DSCSCS Ltd., Guntur.
3. Final Report of the Director-General, Anti-Corruption Bureau,
Hyderabad, vide Letter No.69/RE-VGT/99, dated 15-11-2000.

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ANNEXURE – IV

**LIST OF WITNESSES BY WHOM THE ARTICLES OF CHARGES
FRAMED AGAINST SRI P.C.P.RAJU, FORMERLY EXECUTIVE
DIRECTOR, DISTRICT SCHEDULED CASTE SERVICE COOPERATIVE
SOCIETY LIMITED, GUNTUR, AND PRESENTLY JOINT DIRECTOR
(SW), GUNTUR DISTRICT.**

-NIL –

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